

**CHAPTER NO. 119**

**SENATE BILL NO. 179**

**By Fowler, Norris**

Substituted for: House Bill No. 291

By Sharp, Overbey, Fitzhugh, McCord, Bone, Curtiss, Ronnie Davis

AN ACT To amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 68, Chapter 221, relative to storm water management.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 68-221-1101, is amended by deleting the language "having a population of not less than seventy-five thousand (75,000) according to the 1990 federal census or any subsequent census,".

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 68-221-1102(3), is amended by deleting the existing subdivision in its entirety and by substituting instead the following language:

(3) "Municipality" means any incorporated city or town, county, metropolitan or consolidated government, or special district of this state empowered to provide storm water facilities;


SECTION 3. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 68-221-1105, is amended by adding the following new subsection:

(d) In counties having governments other than metropolitan or consolidated governments, the county shall only be empowered to exercise the authority granted by this part outside the jurisdiction of an incorporated city or town.


SECTION 4. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.

**PASSED: April 23, 2001**

  
JOHN S. WILDER  
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE

  
JIMMY NAIFEH, SPEAKER  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

**APPROVED this 26<sup>th</sup> day of April 2001**

  
DON SUNDQUIST, GOVERNOR